REQUEST \ Application Number 08/987,380 **FOR** Confirmation Number 6198 CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) Filing Date December 09, 19 TRANSMITTAL First Named Inventor Masao INOUE MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents 1617 Group Art Unit P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 **Examiner Name** Shengjun Wang Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective of Ma Matter Number Q48500 provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995 Title **GRANULAR PESTICIDAL COMPOSITION** This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. 1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 MON 2 - 5003 a. □ Previously submitted i. D Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 Previously filed on ii. 🗆 Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ECH CENTER 1000/may iii.□ Other b. **☑** Enclosed i. 🗹 Amendment/Reply ii. 🗹 Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii. 🗆 Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. 🗹 Petition for Extension of Time v. Other 2. MISCELLANEOUS a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a Period of _____ months b. Other 3. FEES A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS Direct all correspondence to the address for SUGHRUE MION, PLLC filed under the Customer Number listed below: WASHINGTON OFFICE 23373 CUSTOMER NUMBER SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY Name John K. Shin Registration No. 48,409 Signature Date November 5, 2003

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